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REMARKS

The notice of allowable subject matter in Claims 3-7 and 10-20 is gratefully appreciated.

In an effort to bring prosecution of the present application to a favorable conclusion, Applicant has cancelled the rejected claims, per se, and has placed the objected to claims in self-contained form to include the subject matter of all of the claims from which they previously depended. As such, it is respectfully submitted that Claims 3-7 and 10-20 are in condition for allowance.

A notice to that effect is, accordingly, earnestly solicited.

Favorable reconsideration of this application and a Notice of Allowability of all the claims remaining in the application are respectfully requested.

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